

# CENTER ROUTING SLIP

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*This is how ready to go*

*Page 3 (etc) good things done to remember*

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9 October 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant for Technical Development

SUBJECT : Comments by [ ] on Advanced 940 Light Table  
Prototype Staff Study

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1. On 5 October 1967 [ ] and I met with [ ] to discuss his questions. I feel that we answered them all satisfactorily and want to make this a memorandum for you reflecting the answers which we gave him.

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Question #1. This question is completely answered by the  
NPIC Equipment Summary, pages 78 and 79.

Question #2. We do not know how many personnel it will take to accomplish the proposed retrofit or how long.

Question #3. The in-house operational test would be the same as that given a contracted 940 light table. This is the responsibility of [ ] who would prepare a test as the table is being built.

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Question #4. [ ] would be faced with meeting manufacturing specifications for a table that is already built. Our trouble with them to date has been in the R&D process. [ ] briefed [ ] at length on the difficulties we have had with the [ ] and, I think, convinced him that they are worse than implicated in this memo.

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Question #5. This is also answered by the Equipment Summary.

Question #6. This approach may not in the long run be a cost saver or a producer of superior equipment; but in my judgment it is far superior to the alternative, that of going out again on contract for a 940 light table.

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2. [ ] indicated that we could resubmit this with the correction of a small typographical error on page 2, and he would approve it and pass it on through the chain.

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[ ]

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Attachment: (1)

Comments from [ ] dated 3 Oct 67

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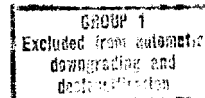
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TRANSMITTAL SLIP		BAT 16/3	
TO:			
ROOM NO.	BUILDING 4N 411		
REMARKS:  Bud - I need facts, man, facts - answer, etc., in order to support this.			
FROM:			
ROOM NO.	BUILD	EXTENSION	

FORM NO. 241  
1 FEB 55

REPLACES FORM 36-8  
WHICH MAY BE USED.

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① What happened re the two  
prototype tables produced in FY/65?  
By whom? What cost? - See Equip  
Summary p. 78, 9

② How many NPIC personnel  
involved in the proposed retrofit?  
How long? Who? Why Ops staff?

③ What sort of in-house operational  
test planned? A popularity  
contest is implied, more than a  
technical evaluation.

④ What makes you think   
will respond to specs? Not  
according to your report of their  
reluctance to date - is it really  
as bad as indicated?

⑤ How are the fit with other  
light table developments underway?  
Proposed? Done? How many  
have we had so far? Results?

See Equip  
Summary.

⑥ I'm afraid I'm not all  
fired up with this proposed  
venture - Somehow it just  
doesn't impress me as having  
potential as a cost saver, a  
producer of superior equipment.



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Prototype complete by 1 Nov 1968

Production versions  
1 April 1969

PROTOTYPE  
52 man days monitoring

30 man days  
machine shop + perform  
Staff

20 man days

Production Versions

26 man days Performance  
Staff  
13 man days monitor

Predicated upon 1 Nov 1968  
sign off.

and post evaluation  
by operational components,  
1 week or less per item

per component  
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